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SUBJ: FRENCH INTEREST IN US-IRAN NUCLEAR REACTOR AGREEMENT

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1. IN CONNECTION WITH ANY INFORMATION WE MIGHT PASS TO
FRENCH ON U.S.-IRAN NUCLEAR REACTOR AGREEMENT, REQUEST LOUET
BE ASKED AGAIN TO CLARIFY ONE KEY POINT IN FRENCH-IRAN AGREE-
MENT.

2. ADDRESSEES WILL RECALL THAT LOUET TOLD EMBASSY PARIS
"IRAN HAS THE UNILATERAL RIGHT TO REPROCESS IN IRAN" (PARA
3 REFTEL A). FRENCH CHARGE HERE TOLD AMBASSADOR JUST THE
OPPOSITE (REFTEL B).

3. CHARGE AND ANOTHER FRENCH EMBOFF HAVE SINCE ITERATED TO
PLOCOUNS THAT IRAN DOES NOT RPT NOT HAVE UNILATERAL RIGHT TO
REPROCESS HERE, THOUGH THEY HAVE BEEN VAGUE AS TO EXACT WORDING
OF THEIR AGREEMENT AND, AFTER FIRST PROMISING TO PASS US A
COPY OF THE EXACT WORDING, HAVE PLEADED THEY COULD NOT BREACH
AGREEMENT'S CONFIDENTIALITY TO THAT EXTENT.
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